

# The Paducah Evening Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 9, 1906.

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## TAKE IN PLANTS; FROST IS COMING

## This Is Weather Prediction For Tonight.

Thermometer Shows This to Be the  
Coldest Day Experienced This  
Fall—Down to 34.

## SNOW AND STORMS ELSEWHERE.

Frost loaft, says the weather man, and colder tomorrow.

This has been the coldest day thus far in the fall. It is the regular time for the first fall frost.

There are no crops or fruits to be injured. Unprotected flowers in yards probably will be slightly injured.

The sun made it more comfortable in the middle of the day but the wind had cold searching quality which made people seek the sunny side of the street and button up coats and overcoats.

Early workers came down the streets with their hands in their pockets—and whistling.

The streets look comparatively deserted. It is too cold for the longer on street corners. Every man with a stove has friends now. The back end of many a business house is the most popular part of the store.

The temperature went down to 53 this morning with a keen wind blowing.

At 2:30 o'clock the temperature had reached 57 degrees or four higher than the lowest point.

### First Snow.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 9.—Nearly a month earlier than usual, the first snow appeared today.

### City in Darkness.

Buffalo, Oct. 9.—A fierce storm off the lake struck Buffalo last night. Nearly everything portable was blown out of position and great damage done. The city was in darkness owing to cutting the electric light wires.

### Navigation Dangerous.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Oct. 9.—Lake Superior country is swept by a gale and snowstorm today. The wind is blowing from the northwest. Navigation on the upper lakes is difficult. The wind makes it dangerous. It is impossible to see far on the water on account of the heavy snow falling.

### PREMATURELY.

Forty Sticks of Dynamite Let Go and Killed Two.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 9.—Forty sticks of dynamite, being tamped in a hole for a blast, exploded prematurely on the Tidewater railroad construction near Radford, killing Joseph Dickinson and Doc Richardson and seriously injuring Foreman Cook.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FIRE.

Los Angeles Sustains Loss of About \$200,000.

Los Angeles, Oct. 9.—A fire shortly after midnight swept the upper floors of the Chamber of Commerce building. The flood of water poured on ruined the magnificent collection of exhibits on the second and third floors. The total loss is nearly \$200,000.

### Fifty Rebels Captured.

Havana, Oct. 9.—About fifty rebels were captured by volunteers yesterday and forced to give up their arms. Leaders of these insurgents are credited with threats to kill Generals Gómez and Castillo. Reports are received of fighting between rural guards and revolutionists at Aguascalientes.

### Celebrated Actress Dies.

Rome, Oct. 9.—Marchesa Del Grillo, better known as Adelaide Ristori, the celebrated Italian actress, died early this morning. She had been suffering from pneumonia.

### Supplanted by Lake.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 9.—A spectral from Mobile says that since the hurricane of two weeks ago the little village of Navy Cove is found to have been supplanted by a lake 14 feet deep. The village was completely washed away.

### Paul Moore in Second.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 9.—Paul Moore, editor of the Burlington Bee, will be nominated by acclamation for congress by the Republican district convention which will meet next Tuesday in Dawson.

## WARNED TO EXERCISE HIS BEES

Grocer Under Orders From S. P. C. A. Will Give Them Rest.

Pittsburg, Oct. 9.—Because co-operation of bees in a show window was held cruel, as the bees had no chance to take exercise, G. K. Stevenson, a grocer, will send them out to the country for some fresh air tomorrow. An agent of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals saw the grocer's display and warned him to give the bees change if he would avoid prosecution.

## IN OHIO

### STANDARD OIL MONOPOLY IS ON TRIAL AT LAST.

Prosecution Has Won Victories and is Confident of Success in Suit.

Findlay, O., Oct. 9.—The battle between the state of Ohio and the Standard Oil company is on in the probate court here. The final result of the issue is to determine whether the powerful corporation will continue to monopolize the oil business in Ohio. The prosecution, strengthened by victory in skirmishes and entrenched behind evidence procured by mouths of dubious toll, is confident. The defense is vigilant and crafty, and maintains silence that cannot be broken.

## SOIL SURVEY

### MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Ollie James Says Any Citizens Desiring Copy May Secure One By Writing to Him.

A soil survey of McCracken county made by the United States department of agriculture is completed and a copy may be had by any citizen desiring it.

The following communication from Congressman Ollie James explains it:

"I am in receipt of a letter from the United States department of agriculture, informing me that the soil survey of McCracken county, which I had the pleasure of recommending sometime since, had been completed, and the reports, together with a map of McCracken county, are ready for distribution. Several hundred of these have been placed to my credit in the folding room of the house of representatives, and I shall be pleased to send them to any person desiring copies of them."

### PRAYS, TRIPS WIFE; KILLS HER

Oklahoma Woman Stumbles Over Husband Breaking Neck.

Waukomis, Okla., Oct. 9.—Mrs. Philip Sprague is dead from a broken neck and her baby daughter is so badly injured that she may not recover as the result of her stumbling over her husband as he was kneeling in prayer at their home here last night. She was carrying the baby at the time.

### NO IMMUNITY.

Ohio Prosecutor Hopes to Convict Without His Evidence.

Cleveland, Oct. 9.—John D. Rockfeller is not to be called as a witness at the trial of the officers of the Standard Oil company of Ohio in Cleveland Tuesday. The prosecuting attorney thinks he can convict him without granting him anything in the shape of immunity. The jury will be summoned Monday morning.

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It is the daily average circulation of a newspaper that the shrewd advertiser investigates—“High Water” days don’t count. The Sun’s daily average last month was 3930.

## ONCE PROMINENT IN HOME COUNTY

### J. B. Ford Is Penniless And Ill Clad.

Victim of Highwaymen Sent to Princeton on Mandated Ticket This Morning.

### WAS SHERIFF OF CALDWELL

Truly clad in garments that were torn and ragged and led by Patrolmen Scott Ferguson and James Clark, J. B. Ford, who at one time served Caldwell county as sheriff, was taken to the Fulton-Louisville accommodation train this morning and sent home to Princeton on a pass issued him from the mayor's office. He left Paducah penniless, the victim of a mysterious assault made on him Sunday night near the New Richmond hotel.

"They robbed me of all I had," Ford stated at the train. "It was little, only \$1.50, but my injuries are what hurt the worst. My side is so stiff that I fear I shall never be able to walk erect again."

Ford does not know whether he fell on the railroad tracks when struck from behind or was kicked. The physician attended him last night when his pains became so severe that he could not lie still, and failed to find any broken bones.

## MAYOR'S HOURS

### WILL NOT BE PRESCRIBED IF ORDINANCE PASSES.

Nineteenth Street and Guthrie Avenue Will Be Graveled—Contract Adopted.

As another proof of the cordial relations existing between Mayor Yelton and the general council, a resolution was introduced this afternoon in the board of aldermen by Alderman Miller, to enact an ordinance amending the ordinance prescribing office hours for the mayor. At present the executive is supposed to be in his office all the time, but it is the opinion of the majority of the members of the legislative department that the mayor should be at liberty to go where he pleases in furtherance of his duty. Often the mayor feels it is his duty to inspect public work, but the ironclad rule forbids him.

The board passed on its final reading the ordinance providing for the improvement of Nineteenth street south of Broadway and Guthrie avenue with gravel. This was held up from last night's meeting in order to determine how far the street car company would be liable for the cost, it was ascertained that the company must pay for improvements for two feet on each side of its rails. The ordinance passed the lower board.

The board met this afternoon and gave second passage to the ordinance placing the contract with the water company before the public for a ratification or rejection.

### SERVANT'S DEPARTURE.

Causes New York Woman to End Her Life.

New York, Oct. 9.—Worry over the loss of a servant who had left her after many years of service, is believed to have caused Mrs. Florence Unger to end her life today. Mrs. Unger killed herself by inhaling illuminating gas while her husband was searching for a servant to take the place of the one who had gone, in a letter which Mrs. Unger left she said, "Good-bye, I am tired and need rest."

### Croker Sues for Damages.

Duluth, Oct. 9.—The Evening Telegram declares that Richard Croker is bringing an action for libel and claiming heavy damages against the proprietor of the London Magazine in connection with an article denouncing his relation to Tammany Hall.

### Jumped for Lives.

Selbyville, Ky., Oct. 9.—In a fire which destroyed Polkeman Duncan's home Mrs. Duncan and their two daughters were forced to leap from the second story window. All were injured.

## REGISTRATION DAY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, SIX TO NINE O'CLOCK.

The special supplemental registration day will be Tuesday, October 16, from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m. All those who have not a registration, issued October 1, certificates must register next Tuesday. If they would vote at the municipal election. Besides the issue of endorsing the conduct of the Republicans, general council and school board, there is a police judge to elect, the issue in which race will be tightly drawn. Also the park bond issue of \$100,000 and the city water contract are to be voted on. All voters are urged to register and express their preference and opinions. They should register early as the political organizations will have their hands full looking after the dilatory ones.

## FOR CHAMPIONSHIP LEAGUES IN BATTLE

### Chicago Cubs and White Sox Cross Bats

Betting Favors Nationals Three to One but All Bets Are Covered Quickly.

### BATTING ORDER OF TEAMS.

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Ideal baseball weather is obtaining today when at 3 o'clock the Chicago Nationals and Chicago Americans meet in the first game of a series of seven for the world's championship.

Both teams are in excellent condition for the struggle and both are confident of victory. The pitchers are in grand form and both Manager Chance and Jones declared that the losing team would have no excuses to offer for defeat except that the best ball players had won.

The game will be played on the grounds of the National league, President Murphy having won the toss, giving him the first game. Wednesday's game will be decided at President C. A. Comiskey's park, and the next four games, if that many are played, will be alternated between the Southside and Westside parks. Should it be necessary to play the seventh game, the National baseball commission will decide where it shall be played.

The players representing the National League are the favorites until the way from 8 to 5 to 3 to 1. Following is the batting order for the Americans: Hahn, right field; Jones, center field; Ishell, second base; Davis, shortstop; Donohue, first base; Dougherty, left field; Sullivan, center field; McFarland, catcher; Tannahill, third base; National's Hoffmam, center field; Sheppard, left field; Schutte, right field; Chance, first base; Steinfeldt, third base; Tinker, shortstop; Evers, second base; King, catcher.

Umpires—Mr. Johnstone, National League; Mr. O'Loughlin, American League.

### OVER WOUNDED MAN.

Surgeons From Elvyn Hospital Engage in Struggle.

New York, Oct. 9.—While a man lay dying in an ambulance in Pell street in the Chinese quarter today, three bullet wounds in his back, surgeons from two hospitals struggled to secure possession of the wounded man. Several of the dying man's friends took him in hand in the affair when the argument was at its height, and when the ambulance started to drive away someone seized the wounded man and dragged him nearly out of the ambulance.

### A Thoughtful Wife.

Denver, Col., Oct. 9.—With death near at hand, Mrs. Edward J. Munger, the wife of a wealthy oil operator of Fortson, O., talks daily into a phonograph, so that when she shall have passed away her voice may cheer her sorrowing husband. Together the Mungers have made a tour of the world, and in each place of interest they visited Mrs. Munger has recorded upon the cylinder her impressions of the sights. Also much of her conversation with her husband is repeated into the phonograph.

## VIGILANTES TO TAKE UP SEARCH

### Brutal Crime Against Girl In State of Illinois.

Left Dying on Deserted Island in Fox River by Two Men—Police Fall.

### KIDNAPED BOY IS RESTORED

Aurora, Ill., Oct. 9.—A vigilance committee was formed today to inflict vengeance upon the assailants of Josephine Frank, aged sixteen years, the girl kidnaped by two men and held prisoner on a deserted island in Fox river for hours, then brutally attacked and released when they had recovered.

### Kidnapped Boy Found.

New York, Oct. 9.—William LaBarbara, the four year old boy, for whom the entire police force has been searching since his kidnaping was found today, and restored to his parents. That the child was kidnaped, neither the police or his parents doubt. The boy was discovered at the Brooklyn end of the Brooklyn bridge Sunday by Ernest O'Connor, and taken to the children's home in Brooklyn. The boy is unable to tell anything intelligently about his experience.

## STRIKE

### SOUTHERN RAILWAY AND MAILISTS DISAGREE.

Six Shops and Seven Hundred Men Are Involved in the Walkout in the South.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 9.—Falling to arrive at an agreement through conference with officials of the railroad company for an increase of 2½ cents an hour and a work day of eight hours, between 600 and 700 mailists employed in the shops of the different divisions of the Southern railway decided to strike, and promptly at 1 o'clock this morning those who had made up their minds to accept that alternative laid down their tools.

Shops at the following places are affected: Sheffield, Ala.; Greenville, Miss.; Birnamwood, Selma, Ala.; Spartanburg, S. C.; Charleston,

### GOES INSANE; ATTACKS FAMILY

Elgin Man Becomes Maniac as Result of Overstudy.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 9.—Becoming violently insane early today, Elmer E. Day, a well-known former Elgin druggist, demolished the furniture in his home and drove his wife and children into the street. He then barricaded the doors and with a butcherknife threatened the life of anyone who attempted to enter. After a desperate struggle three police officers subdued him and placed him in a cell in the city jail. Day's mind first became affected about five years ago, due to overstudy.

### PLUNDERER'S WEIGHT KILLS.

Sudden Death of Alton Negress Frightens Other Blacks.

Alton, Ill., Oct. 9.—At the coroner's inquest today over the body of Mary E. Wells, a negro servant at the home of B. Young, upper Alton, it was developed that the woman was stricken with apoplexy, caused from exhaustion while carrying a lot of plunder stolen from the home of her employer. The circumstances of her death frightened the negroes in Alton, who consider it as being a case of swift punishment for wrongdoing.

### 500 POLICY-HOLDERS WILL SUE

General Movement on North German Insurance Company at Frisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 9.—Five hundred suits will be filed in the next few weeks in the federal and state courts here against the North American German Fire Insurance company of Hamburg, Germany. This is announced by W. J. Herrin, president of the policy-holders' committee.

## CITY TO BORROW

### FOR SIXTY DAYS

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The Grand Scenic Production  
**A TEXAS RANGER**

strong cast of players. Special scenery and mechanical effects. Our acts of dramatic grandeur, replete with roar of comedy.  
**A military melo-drama of life on the frontier.**  
Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Seats on sale Monday 9 a.m.

**Wednesday Night, Oct. 10**

**First Time Here.**

**The House of Mystery**  
By Langdon McCormick

A story of criminal history in New York, full of startling and sensational surprises.

Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Seats on sale Tuesday, 9 a.m.

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**Friday Night, Oct. 12**

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**FRESHMEN ELECT  
CLASS OFFICERS**

Their Colors Will Be Orange And Black

Football Manager Resigns and Successor is Elected By the Association.

**TEACHERS' LITERARY SOCIETY**

Yesterday afternoon the freshman class of the High school met and completed election of officers. Miss Mary Wheeler was elected president last week and yesterday Miss Lucille Harth was elected vice-president; George Wallace, Jr., secretary, and Chester Kerth, class editor for the Ishkoodah. The class colors, orange and black, were selected. Other elections will follow this week.

This morning Clark Bondurant, first violin of the High school orchestra, returned from Milwaukee, and rehearsals will begin for the big entertainment to be given this fall. Several big events with Choral club features will be given this winter.

**Dr. Newell's Lecture.**

The Rev. Thomas Jefferson Newell addressed the High school this morning and talked generally, having no particular subject. His address was excellent and greatly appreciated.

**Teachers' Society.**

The Teachers' Literary society has selected the course of study which will be pursued this year and the first literary meeting will be held Friday, October 19, at the High school, Supt. C. M. Lile presiding. The course of study selected is "Adam's Herbartian Psychology." This is the subject for the general meetings. The special meetings, which follow, will be more applicable to the various grades. The general meeting will last one hour and the special meetings about three quarters of an hour.

**Football Manager Resigns.**

On account of other duties D. A. Yeler, Jr., resigned as manager of the High school football team and Brent James was elected in his stead. Games will be arranged with all surrounding towns, but so far they have been slow in organizing. The Paducah team will go to Metropolis Saturday and will meet Metropolis here on October 20. The suits have not yet arrived.

57 CLUB.

Capt. James M. Lang Talks of Organization.

Capt. James M. Lang and a number of other gentlemen are discussing the organization of a 57 club. It is proposed to form a club of the residents of the city or county who were born in the year 1857. This club would be similar in its purpose to the '49 club, only to belong to it, it is requisite to have been born in this city or the county. They would have an annual outing with their families and around the picnic spread or camp fire, grow reminiscent of the good old days—their youth. Capt. Lang has counted twenty-five who would be eligible to membership in the '57 club.

**Charge of Wife Murder.**

A trial which promises to arouse more than usual interest is scheduled to begin at Toms River, N. J., today, when Dr. Frank Brower will be put on trial charged with the murder of his wife. It is alleged that Brower caused his wife's death by giving her ground glass and arsenic while ostensibly treating her for a sudden and severe illness.

**WATER NOTICE.**

Patrons of the Water Company are reminded that their water rent is expected September 30. Those who desire to renew them should do so before it is forgotten, as all premises not paid for on or before October 10, will be shut off.

The prompt payment of water rents will save vexation and cost to the consumer, and unpleasant duties and annoyance to the company.

**Republican Convention.**

The Republicans of the city of Paducah, Ky., are called to meet at the city hall in the city of Paducah, Ky., on Thursday, October 11th, 1906, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various city offices to be voted for at the November election.

The convention will be called to order at 2 o'clock p.m., and the vivacious manner of voting will prevail.

**FRANK BOYD,**  
Chairman City Committee.

**Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.**  
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic drives out malaria and builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 27 years. Price 50c.

**SALE OF COOPER'S  
REMEDIES ENORMOUS**

Are Now Leading Topic in St. Louis.

Interviews Obtained With Number of Callers of Young Men's Headquarters.

**WHAT PEOPLE HAVE TO SAY**

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—The most interesting feature of the enormous sale of the Cooper preparations, now going on in this city, is what the medicines are actually accomplishing among the people of St. Louis.

At the commencement of his visit here Mr. Cooper prophesied that during the latter part of his stay he would receive hundreds of callers daily who came simply to thank him for what the preparations had done. He also stated that stomach trouble is the foundation for a great many diseases, and that his New Discovery, as it is called, would prove very effective in all cases of rheumatism, simply by getting the stomach in working order.

That this prophecy has been fulfilled cannot be doubted after a half hour spent at the young man's headquarters, listening to what his callers have to say.

A reporter who watched to ascertain, if possible, some light on the reasons for the immensity of Cooper's success interviewed about twenty of his callers yesterday afternoon. The statements made by those seen indicate that physicians who claim that Cooper is merely a passing fad, have not looked into the facts.

Some of these statements were as follows: Mrs. Anna B. Hampton, living at 1422 Michigan avenue, upon being questioned, said:

"I have been troubled with general debility, weakness, dizziness, headache, sleeplessness and stomach trouble, for over three years. I had tried a number of medicines and visited several doctors but none helped me. I heard on all sides of these Cooper Remedies and decided to try them. Any one who says that they are not wonderful medicines, does not know what they are talking about. After I used the first bottle, I noticed a decided improvement. I have taken three bottles of the New Discovery and I now feel as well as I ever have in my life. I sleep and eat as I have not done for years, and I am happier than I have been for a long time. I have come here to thank Mr. Cooper for what he has done for me."

The statement of John F. Burnard, living at 927 N. Eleventh street, was as follows:

"I have suffered with stomach trouble and constipation for a year or so. When I ate I would have bloated spells, sour stomach, fermentation, bad taste in my mouth. In the morning, I was tired as when I went to bed. I had a dull pain in the lower part of my back, and had to get up several times in the night. I have almost taken one bottle of the New Discovery and I am so wonderfully improved that I have come down here to thank Mr. Cooper in person and obtain more of the medicine."

Another statement was made by Miss Margaret Gordon, living at 219 Center street, who said: "I have been a sufferer with rheumatism for several years. I have tried many remedies, and have been treated by a number of physicians. Nothing helped me in any way and I despaired of finding relief. I was in a general rundown condition, also, and had some stomach trouble. I was told by friends of the Cooper remedies and decided to try some of them. I purchased some of the New Discovery medicine, although it took me three hours to do so, as the crowd was so dense. This was last Thursday. I was improved almost immediately."

"I have continued to take this wonderful medicine and I am now without a sign of rheumatism. My general health is also greatly improved, and I have not felt so well for years. I would not have believed that there was a medicine on earth that would do what this has done for me. I am so much happier that I am very grateful to the man that has made it possible for me to regain my health. He has the most wonderful medicine that I know anything about."

Other statements taken from those who had previously used the medicines seem to prove that Cooper's success throughout the country is genuine.

**Mysterious Killing.**

The authorities of Shelbyville, Indiana, are investigating the death of Mrs. Laura Ayres, a prominent church worker, who was found dead in her bed yesterday morning with a bullet in her brain. Her husband,



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**Fall Dress Goods.**

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Black Voile in French and English makes. 75c to \$2.00

Novelty weaves ..... 75c to \$2.00

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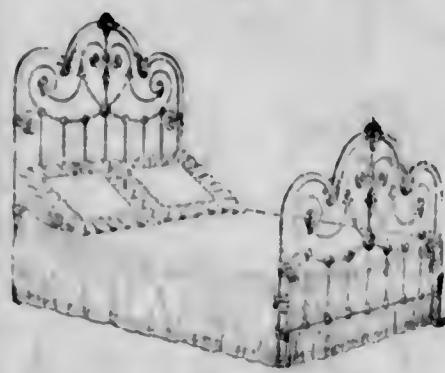


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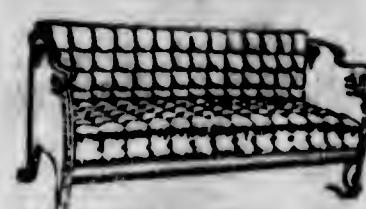
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Gets a complete one, well worth \$60.



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That soon pays for itself. In the amount of fuel it saves you. It is yours for the asking on thirty days' trial. Can you ask more?



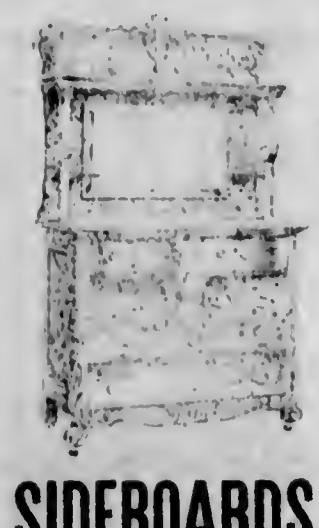
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This is a beauty, finished in rich Golden Oak, has large French bevel mirror and lined drawer for silver ware. Only \$15.00



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Twelve piece sets \$3.75 up.



### FLOOR COVERINGS

We have enlarged and added to this department extensively and can now show you the most complete line ever before carried in this city. We guarantee our prices cheaper than many of the larger cities.



### Combination Cases

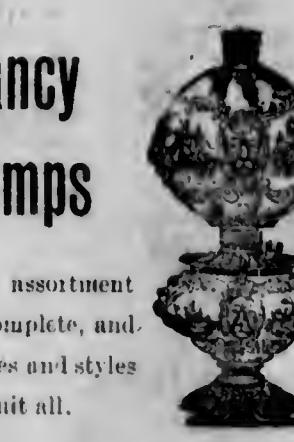
Stock in this line is now complete. This will make a nice addition to your home, two pieces in one at very low figures.



The most sanitary floor covering made and guaranteed to outlast anything costing double the price.

### Fancy Lamps

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

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1.....	3881	17..... 2975
2.....	3885	18..... 3948
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4.....	3880	20..... 3921
5.....	3902	21..... 3959
6.....	3917	22..... 3949
7.....	3913	23..... 2938
8.....	3931	24..... 3929
9.....	3900	25..... 3935
10.....	3911	26..... 4019
11.....	3950	27..... 4045
12.....	3992	28..... 4003
13.....	3965	
Total .....	98,478	
Average for September, 1906..... 3939		
Average for September, 1905..... 3656		
Increase .....	283	

Personally appeared before me, this October 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of circulation of The Sun for the month of September, 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"History makes its records in straight lines, which are drawn ruthlessly across human plans and folios."

TWO QUESTIONS SUBMITTED.

It is characteristic of this general council and this administration, that, in spite of the lack of enthusiasm in the election of city officers, they should add popular interest to the event by recording the people an opportunity to participate in the business of the municipality. This council has been closer to the people than any of its predecessors within the memory of man. Two propositions are submitted to the voters. One of them, the water contracts, is printed in today's issue of The Sun and should be carefully studied. Of the other, the issue of \$100,000 municipal bonds for park improvement purposes, we shall have more to say in the future, and perhaps, the board of park commissioners will publish a carefully written exposition of their whole scheme of park development and the part which this money is to play in the work. Suffice it to say now, that the park board composed of men of affairs, who understand business methods, has made certain that the bonds will add not a cent to the city's standing indebtedness in the long run, while in no year will they increase the tax rate or interfere with my reduction in the rate, which might otherwise be possible. The estimate of the board of park commissioners is based on the fact that the park appropriation is fixed by the state and cannot be reduced by the city. At the last session of the legislature, the charter of second class cities was intended to create a board of park commissioners and in the same act a levy of five cents on the \$100 was fixed as the minimum annual appropriation for park purposes. This levy under the present assessment will amount to something like \$6,000. It never will fall below that. As the city grows—and the acquisition of an extensive park system will promote its growth—this fund will steadily increase. Now the park commissioners have estimated that in 20 years this money would all be available in annual installments. So they concluded that the best way is to secure the funds in a lump, use them all during the first two or three years and have the park system coming on for the pleasure of the generation, which must pay for them, 15 years in advance of their ordinary prospects. The advantage of this scheme is manifest. The whole system may be started and developed at once. Parks in all parts of the city may be built at one time. The legislature has so fixed it that Paducah will have parks sooner or later. If they are beneficial at all the sooner they come the sooner we will be benefited by them. Furthermore,

land can be purchased now more cheaply than in future years, and with the money available, the commissioners can carry out their plans at a less expense than by having the work done piecemeal. Any man's experience will corroborate the last statement. The park commissioners have so planned their management of the funds that a sinking fund will be created out of the bonds and the annual appropriation, by which at the expiration of the term of last outstanding bond the money will be available with which to pay it off.

The measure of a man's limitations is his ability to accept and select advice. The greatest men we have today are the men who choose the best aides, draw out the best that is in them, and exercise nice judgment in selecting and fitting together the best suggestions of all. A man's own brains are capable only of a certain amount of first class ideas, but the man who can use the brains of other men, is the man, who is taking the high place. His mind may not be as superficially agile as some others, compared as to their capacity for original thought his may suffer; but he is the master mind, the final finishing department of all ideas that go to make for the success of whatever great enterprise they may be bent on. Some men there are who start out on the road to success with nothing to obstruct their course as far as eye can see, reach a magnitude of endeavor in a short time, that presages fortune, and then as surely retrograde as at first they progressed. The trouble? The business gets too big for the mind to control the details. It needs trained, specialized minds for department heads, perhaps, with a master mind over all to direct. The business outgrows the man. He has the capacity for grasping its details, but not the faculty for developing and directing other's thoughts. There is more in business than mere barter and sale, and when this is realized we understand why some men fail at the point where others begin to succeed.

"I have walked with tramps and talked with tramps the world over," said Dr. J. Milton Rhodes, "and everywhere they are the same degenerate type. Besides in the shuffling gait, the resemblance to the ape is borne out in the man's face. There is not a sign of intelligence there. Morally, physically and mentally the tramp resembles the ape more and more each generation."

Now, we would like to know what the tramps think of Dr. Rhodes.

Dowie had another vision that he gave up the idea of founding a colony in Mexico and to raise \$1,000,000 in Chicago for the purpose of restoring him to power. In Zion, Dowie never has anything smaller than a million dollar dream.

Former Governor Stone, of Missouri, says Roosevelt is a boss. Missourians may recall the Stone Age in their own state. That was before the day of enlightenment and Folk.

ENJOIN JOHNSON.

Charge That Cleveland Mayor Is Financially Interested.

Cleveland, Oct. 9.—Charging that Mayor Johnson is financially interested in the success of the Forest City Railway company, otherwise known as the 3-cent-fare street railway line and that he procured the organization of the company, obtained franchises for it, and has assumed a financial responsibility in behalf of the Forest City Railway company—all of which is said to be in violation of the law—the Cleveland Electric railway filed today in common pleas court a petition asking that all work on the Forest City Railway company's lines be enjoined.

Army Officers Convicted.

Washington, Oct. 9.—During the last fiscal year, according to the annual report of Gen. George B. Davis, Judge advocate general of the army, issued today, 4586 trials by general court-martial were held. Fifty of these were of commissioned officers, forty-two of whom were convicted. Fourteen officers were dismissed by sentence. In four cases the sentences were commuted to loss of rank, in two cases "resignations for the good of the service" were accepted, and in one case the sentence was disapproved.

About 50 per cent of the enlisted men convicted by general court-martial received sentences involving dishonorable discharge, and about 5 per cent of these sentences were awarded in view of previous convictions. The trials of general court-martial during the year showed a decrease of 204, as compared with the previous year.

The practice of selling clothing issued to enlisted men, the report says, continues, in spite of all efforts, to suppress it. Those who sell the clothing and those who buy it have been prosecuted vigorously.

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PLEADED GUILTY

AND THEN EXECUTED SENTENCE OF COURT.

Dock Olden Went to Jail for Thirty Days for Stealing Cars.

Dock Olden, colored, charged with petit larceny, got a quick trial before County Judge R. T. Lightfoot this morning, and after his trial carried out the court's instructions even going over and surrendering to the deputy jailer informing the startled deputy that he had come to board with him for thirty days.

You are charged with stealing tomatoes from the Paducah Packing Company," Judge Lightfoot explained, "and I understand you want to plead guilty."

The negro, who had been on bond to appear before the court today and pleaded in the affirmative.

"Thirty days in the county jail, and I hope you will do better."

As the negro made for the door the court called out instructions to him to "go on over to the jail," and he went.

Oiden seemed to want to get it over with as quickly as possible.

SCHOOL FOR TRAINING OFFICE BOYS.

New York, Oct. 9.—The much-disussed office-boy question has been taken up seriously by the Y. M. C. A. A training school for office boys will be opened by it tonight. Part

one of the instruction of the department will consist of arithmetic, spelling and correspondence and commercial geography. Part two is divided into elementary and advanced work. Included in the latter are all systems of letter filing, card indexing, manifolding, mailing and shipping desk work, cashiers' department work and general office routine, with elementary bookkeeping and simple commercial correspondence.

PRESIDENT MEETS EDITOR.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Secretary Root today accompanied to the White House and introduced to the president Nicholas M. Ribeiro, editor of the Diario de la Mariana, one of the old Spanish conservative newspapers of Havana, Cuba. The president gave his visitor a cordial greeting.

Mr. John Hoffman, of Atlanta, Fla., is visiting the family of Mrs. A. Weller.

TRY THE NEW STORE'S S/S SHIRTS

CULLEY'S TALK TO MEN AND BOYS

We want you to watch this space daily. It is a small space, 'tis true, but it will contain some big things, as you will see. Every day we shall tell you something the new store is showing, and just how much better and cheaper it is than you will find elsewhere, so watch this space. It means money to you.

Today we want to call your attention to a special shirt we are selling at a dollar. In fact it is a \$1.50 shirt, but a fortunate purchase we can sell it at a dollar.

Our other shirts are catching the fancy of the particular dressers, especially the large plaid bosom shirts we show for fall, but we have every style, and a big, wide variety of patterns, at \$1.50 to \$3.00.

Remember, with most of our shirts we give an extra pair of cuffs to be attached when the others fringe out.

Try the New Store's S/S Shirts

EMPLOYEES FIGHT

ONE RECEIVES SEVERE BEATING AND COMPLAINS.

Cohankus Mills Scene of Altercation in Which Piece of Metal Figures.

Claude Fondren, Bert Roberts, Edgar Holland and George Marshall, engaged in a desperate battle last evening just as the whistles blew at 6 o'clock. They had planned a fight and lost no time in "mixing up" after the signal for dropping tools and stopping machines sounded.

The fight occurred in the stock room. Marshall had quarreled with the other boys earlier in the afternoon. Marshall made his way from the machine room to the stock room and no sooner did he arrive than he claims all three attacked him.

Holland, Marshall says, had a steel roller used on one of the machines weighing about two pounds and with this he struck Marshall several times over the head. It is alleged by Marshall that the two companions of the Holland boy also attacked him.

Dr. Adrin Hoyer dressed the wounds and pronounced them not serious. The fight was stopped before the boy was seriously wounded.

At the police station this morning Marshall swore out a warrant against the three and the police are after them today.

SCHOOL FOR RAILWAY EMPLOYEES.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 9.—The Southern Pacific has arranged to make a new move in scientific railroad age. Arrangements have been made to start a school for the education of railroad employees holding responsible positions. The school will be started at Sparks, Nev., in connection with the University of Nevada under the joint supervision of the railroad and the university. The subjects to be taken up will include arithmetic, elementary mechanics, mechanical drawing, link motion and valve motion.

OCTOGENARIAN TAKES LIFE.

Litchfield, Ill., Oct. 9.—Charles Stout, an octogenarian, who constructed his own coffin, committed suicide last night.

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There are two factors in disease, which, by an endless variety of changes and combinations define every departure from normal conditions.

These are the BLOOD and the NERVES.

They sustain life, and END IT.

The blood most maintains a steady, swift and equal flow or bad consequences follow. Every organ and tissue must get its right share of blood, no more, no less. Stop it and the system is soon poisoned with accumulated body sewage, and lack of proper nourishment sets up, headaches, tired, worn out sensations, no life, no energy and other kindred ailments follow.

Right the blood flow, and they all leave.

This is the Osteopathic theory. It merely goes back to the beginning of disease. It finds most disease is associated with an abnormal blood flow.

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Why? Simply because they go to the basis.

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Bennie Melton.

Bennie Melton, 11 years old, son of John Melton, of 927 North Sixth street, died yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock of malarial fever. The body was buried this afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery.

Miss Emma Hahn, of Bandana,

this morning entered the nurses' training school at Riverside hospital.

My office hours are from 8 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m.

Dr. G. B. FROAGE, 516 Broadway.

Phone 1407.

ORDERS ARE MADE IN COUNTY COURT

Cases Disposed of By Judge Lightfoot Today.

New Suits Filed in Circuit Court and Real Estate Transfers Recorded.

QUIET IN COUNTY OFFICE.

This morning County Judge R. T. Lightfoot called his quarterly court docket, entered many judgments, continued and dismissed numerous cases. There were 61 cases on the docket and the following judgments were entered this morning:

D. B. Anderson against Flowers & Flowers; Broadfoot Bros. against W. W. Walters; Continental Insurance Company against M. E. and J. H. Derrington, and H. M. Cunningham against C. C. Lee. Judgments of settlement. Charles Chappel against J. D. Ragsdale; Dodson Brun Manufacturing Company against W. J. Whitehead; Dodson Brun Manufacturing Company against W. E. Lindsey; Alfred Holzman against Wilhelm & Ferriman. Judgment against Wilhelm: National Paper Company against Ferriman & Wilhelm; A. J. Moore against W. C. Stanford et al. Judgment against Stamford; People's Independent Telephone Company against W. Potter; W. J. Scobey against Gordon Barnham; W. J. Scott against Joseph Walter; Arthur Jones against People's Home Telephone Company.

Suits Filed.

D. D. Harper filed suit against Emery Harper and others for the possession of land in the county. G. B. Williamson filed suit against C. H. Sherrill for the possession of a mink he alleges Sherrill is illegally holding and for \$100 damages for the detention. James A

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## LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

—C. L. Brunson & Co. have moved their flower store to 529 Broadway.

The pedestals and figures for the Seventh and Sixth street entrances to the court house arrived yesterday afternoon from St. Louis and will be placed in position immediately. The pedestals are low and support figures of boys holding their hands aloft. Electric lights are placed in the heads. The figures are of zinc, and weather proof.

—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—James R. Manzy, a carpenter at the Palmer House yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock, was working on a scaffold when a beam fell and broke his support down. Manzy's right foot was caught under heavy timbers in the fall and badly crushed. Dr. Johnston Bass dressed the injury.

—Fire sale of wall paper. Kelly & Umbaugh. All papers at half price, 321 Kentucky avenue. Phone 665.

—The board of public works will this afternoon inspect all the bitumastic street work on Jefferson street, Broadway and Kentucky avenue and side streets. The contractors have finished this work, even down to leveling several depressions in the street at different places.

—One load of coal will make you an advertiser for us. Bradley Bros. Phone 339.

Sheriff Eley, of Marshall county, has notified the police to arrest a negro, James Williams. If found here, Williams is alleged to have stolen two mules.

—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.

—The board of fire and police commissioners will meet tonight for the purpose of electing a patrol driver. The meeting last night was postponed on account of Mayor Yeler and Clerk Bailey being busy in the board of aldermen meeting.

—Five hundred score cards for sale at The Sun office—twenty-five cents each.

—Mr. Smith Boyd, a well known carpenter, is ill at his home on North Twelfth street and in destitute circumstances. He has two little children who are supported by neighbors. Boyd is suffering from a complication of diseases, and lost his wife not long ago. He is well known and many friends have come to his assistance.

—Old Itchable, Carterville, Ill., washed out, and egg coal is the cheapest. Bradley Bros. Phone 339.

Carpenters this morning began tearing away that portion of the wooden platform at the northwest end of the Illinois Central passenger depot, preliminary to the installation

of a steam heating plant. Two new low pressure boilers of 50 pounds capacity each, have been secured instead of the locomotive boiler the company originally intended to install.

—Something new—a clever magazine for the railroad man. 'Twill, too, interest everyone but has an especial attraction for the railroad man and his family. Get the first number, only 10c. R. D. Clements & Co.

—County Judge R. T. Lightfoot is today in possession of a fine silk umbrella presented by Jaller James Baker as a token of friendship. Judge Lightfoot prizes the gift highly, and made a graceful speech in acceptance of the gift.

—Do not be deceived. Bradley Bros. are sole agents for Carterville, Ill., washed coal. Phone 339.

—When you order a rig from us you are talking to one of the proprietors or capable clerks (not a driver or hostler) who writes files and fills the order at appointed time. Palmer Transfer company.

—All members of Naguilla Grove No. 2 are requested to meet with Mr. Eva Delonch, 927 Jackson street, tonight at 7:30.

—We guarantee to please you with Old Taylor, Ky., Lump coal. Phone 339 Bradley Bros.

—Amanda Phillips, colored, 48 years old, died last night of congestion, at 536 South Seventh street. She became ill in the early morning of yesterday. The body will be buried tomorrow in Oak Grove cemetery.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub. Co.

—Alonzo Elliott, street inspector,

has begun work filling Caldwell street over the new concrete culvert at Cross Creek near the Illinois Central depot. He gets some of the dirt from Washington street and hopes to have the street filled in two weeks.

—Our customers are our best advertisers. Ask your neighbor. Bradley Bros. Phone 339.

—The Sun office is prepared to furnish the very latest things in engraved or printed calling cards and invitations of any sort, and is making special prices now.

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS ILL.

Daughter Is Called to New York by News.

Colorado Springs, Oct. 9.—Mrs. J. A. Hayes left today for New York, being called by the announcement of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president.

Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells, in the European flats on Broadway.

Miss Roxie Sneed has returned from Memphis, Tenn.

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## People and Pleasant Events.

Parties sending in accounts of social entertainments will please sign them, as The Sun will not publish communications sent in that are not signed.

### Some Hotels.

The Courier-Journal's Sunday Washington letter says:

"There's a lot of interesting old foot in Washington if you just snoop around and find it. For instance quite negligible and en passant things of that sort, not long ago an antiquarian from Kentucky ran afoul in an old book store on F street, near Fifteenth, of a precious tome that filled her with delight. The volume is a prayer book, once the most intimate devotional work of Gov. Shelby, the first governor of Kentucky. It is strongly bound in brown leather, with gilt lettering still undimmed, although printed in 1775. The book contains the date of Gov. Shelby's marriage to Susanna Harl and the births of their six children, as well as a poem in the distinguished Kentuckian's own, old-fashioned handwriting. The proprietor values the prayer book at \$100. A number of other books from Gov. Shelby's library are in the same qualut collection."

### Miss Scott's Dance to Visitors.

Miss Marjorie Scott's dance this evening in compliment to her guest Miss Bruen of Webb City, Missouri, is a delightful social event of the week. It will be given in the large dining hall of the Cradle House from 9 to 12. The german will be led by Mr. John Brooks. In the receiving line will be: Miss Scott and Mr. Edw. Paxton; Miss Bruen and Mr. Charles Cox; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rudy; Mrs. Thomas Hall and Mr. Richard Scott; Miss Frances Wallace and Mr. Frank Davis; Miss Martha Davis and Mr. Edward Bringhurst; Miss Susie Thompson and Mr. Morton Hand; Miss Elizabeth Sinnott and Dr. J. B. Howell.

### Social Evening.

The Senior Epworth league of the Broadway Methodist church enjoyed a pleasant reunion last evening in the league parlors of the church. The evening was under the auspices of the social and literary department of the league. Interesting talks on "Things I Saw During My Summer Vacation" were made by a number of leaguers. Shaving dish refreshments were served.

### Delphie Club.

The Delphie club met in regular weekly session this morning in the club room at the Carnegie Library.

The "Celtiberians and Roman Spuds" and "Spain under the Gothic" were subjects of able papers, together with reading from "The Vision of Don Roderick."

### Surprise Party.

The friends of Miss Jessie Theobald gave her a surprise party last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Branton, of the south side. There were about 18 couples present, and the occasion was most pleasant.

### Matinee Musical Club.

The active members of the Matinee Musical club are called to meet on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the apartments of the president, Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells, in the European flats on Broadway.

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### National Convention.

A national convention has been called by General Floy Alfaro, president of Ecuador, who overthrew the Garcia administration in January last, to meet at Guayaquil October 9, for the purpose of promulgating a new constitution and the election of a president of the republic.

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signed and this morning went to Edgway to accept a position on the record.

Mr. George Bondurant, foreman of the Illinois Central planing mill, is off duty enjoying a fishing expedition. His place is being filled by Mr. Enoch Brown.

Constable A. C. Shelton, of McLeansburg, is out today after a brief illness of stomach trouble.

Miss Mattie Conley, of Wickliffe, has accepted a position in Itasca hospital to become a trained nurse. Attorney Cecil Reed went to Benson this morning on business.

Miss Mabel Norman arrived this morning from Mayfield to visit the Misses Coleman on Jefferson street.

Judge William Reed left this morning for Hopkinsville on business.

Mr. S. Fels left this morning for Evansville, Ind., and was accompanied by Miss Well who has been visiting in the city.

Misses Jimmie Lee and Edna Buckley, of the Cumberland Telephone company, are ill today.

Mr. H. M. Childress, will leave tonight for Owensboro, Ky., to attend the State Medical association.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Schmidt are the parents of a girl baby.

Mr. Jesse Biggs, of South Sixth street, left Monday afternoon for Charleston, Mo.

Negro Bishop Urges Prayer.

New York, October 9.—Pursuant to an appeal issued recently by Bishop Alexander Walters of the African Zion M. E. church, prayers were offered in practically all of the negro Protestant churches in this city Sunday for more cordial relations between white people and the negroes of the southern states.

In some instances the race problem formed the theme of the pastor's sermons. In his appeal Bishop Walters declared that recent race riots in the south have given evidence that the whites were attempting to "degrade and destroy 10,000,000 American citizens."

An amputated Mule's Tail.

While C. P. and B. W. McIntosh, farmers of Maxon Mills, were at the market looking for a purchase for a match team of mules, which the owners had carefully groomed, some horse went into the wagon yard, where the mules were hitched and cut off the tail of one.

First Confederate.

A statue of Lieut. Col. Jabez L. Marmon Curry, which has just been placed in Statuary hall at Washington, is the first of a Confederate hero to be given such a position. It is the gift of the state of Alabama and there has been rumors of opposition to its acceptance in congress.

Don't get careless and drop too many hints.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

### Wheat

Open 74 1/4  
May 73 3/4 79

### Corn

Dec. 42 1/4 42 1/2

May 43 1/4 43 1/2

### Oats

Dec. 31 1/2 34 1/2

### Pork

Jan. 13.57 13.72

### Cotton

Dec. 10.15 10.45

Jan. 10.50 10.50

Mar. 10.68 10.68

### Stock

I. C. 1.74 1.75 1/4

L. & N. 1.47 1/2 1.47 1/2

U. P. 1.87 1/2 1.87 1/2

## HAUNTED HOUSE HAD LIVE SPOOKS

**Little Boy Uncovers Mystery  
of 626 Kentucky Avenue.**

Mary Craig and Companion Sleep in Residence Which Was Standing Idle.

POLICE HUNTING THE OTHER.

When Giltner Segebefeler, the five-year-old son of Mr. James Segebefeler, the druggist, went into his father's house at 626 Kentucky avenue, which had been vacant two months to look for puppies, he found instead what he supposed to be a spook, and went post haste to his parents and broke the startling news.

An investigation revealed trespassers and a warrant followed. As a result Mary Craig was presented in police court this morning and the police are looking for her companion, who, with the woman, had taken possession of the house and slept in it for several weeks.

Mr. Segebefeler stated that he could not lock the rear door because it is swollen. This is the way entrance was effected. During the warm weather before the rain set in they slept in the coal house, but when the rain set in they moved their portable bed into the house. The Craig woman was dead drunk when the little Segebefeler boy ran into the room. When roused she could not tell her name and has since refused to give the name of the man. The police think they know him and are after him. The case against the woman was continued.

Mr. Segebefeler stated that he was afraid the negroes might set fire to his house and for this reason is prosecuting them. The door has been repaired and no more intruders can enter.

### Announcement.

Having been petitioned by a large number of citizens to submit my name as candidate for the nomination for re-election as school trustee from the Fourth ward, on my record as a member of the board of education, subject to the action of the Republican convention October 11, I take this method in replying to the petitioners and announce myself as a candidate subject to the action of the convention, and if elected, I will continue in the future, as I have in the past to stand up for the right of home talent and a higher educational standard for the schools of Paducah. P. J. BECKENBACH.

### Street Car Franchise for Sale.

On Saturday, the 26th of October, 1906, about the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., at the door of the City Hall, I will offer for sale a street car franchise, for a term of 20 years, according to ordinance recently passed by the city council.

The ordinance is on file in the Auditor's office and can be seen by those desiring to purchase. This sale is made subject to the approval of the General Council.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Respectfully,

D. A. YEAGER,

Mayor of the city of Paducah, Ky.

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### RIVER NEWS

River Stages.		
Intro	26.7	0.1 rise
Chattanooga	12.4	2.0 fall
Cincinnati	12.9	1.6 rise
Evansville	9.0	1.4 fall
Florence	13.8	1.0 fall
Johnsonville	25.3	0.1 rise
Louisville	5.0	0.2 rise
Mt. Carmel	2.5	0.1 fall
Nashville	21.1	1.2 fall
Pittsburg	6.7	0.8 rise
Davis Island Dam	6.6	1.2 rose
St. Louis	9.7	0.5 rise
Mt. Vernon	10.1	0.9 fall
Paducah	21.1	0.1 rise

Among the lounge around the Fowler-Crumbaugh boat store, who go there to see the daily bulletin of river stages, a new element has entered. The farmers owning lands on the river are watching the rise of the river unusually. They can stand a few more feet rise but over that much of their corn crop would be ruined. One farmer said two more feet would wash away all his bottom land corn. The rise registered by the gauge this morning was not great, 4, and the gauge shows a stage above 21 feet.

The Joseph B. Williams passed up this morning from New Orleans with a tow of 22 empties. The Williams may have to wait here for high water before going up. That sounds rather absurd when the stage is 21 feet here, but most of the rise here has come from the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers. The Ohio above the mouth of the Cumberland is not high.

The Clyde arrived yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the Tennessee river with a big trip. That is an early hour for the Clyde to arrive, the usual hour being after dark on Monday. The high stage of the Tennessee river made it easier to load the freight as the wharves along the river are much shorter. The trouble will come when the river recedes leaving the muddy banks. The Clyde hauled 240 loads of lumber for the Forest City Railway company, otherwise known as the 3-cent-fare street railway line and that he procured the organization of the company, obtained franchises for it, and has assumed financial responsibility in behalf of the Forest City Railway company—all of which is said to be in violation of the law—the Cleveland Electric railway filed today in common pleas court a notice asking that all work on the Forest City Railway company's lines be enjoined.

night at 5:30 o'clock from Cairo with one empty barge, on the way to the Tennessee river after a tow.

The Dunbar arrived from Evansville today and left immediately on the return trip.

The City of Saltillo will arrive from St. Louis Wednesday morning and go up the Tennessee river.

The wharf was quiet this morning and the Dick Fowler had a light local trip to Cairo and way points. The Royal will have a few minor repairs to be made before it re-enters the Paducah-Golconda trade Thursday.

The Speed probably will leave the last part of the week for the Mississippi river. Some brass work is delaying placing the wheel in position.

There is a dispute on in the Waterways Journal as to whether there was a steamboat on the Ohio river in the early days named the Pennsylvania.

Capt. Mark Cole, one of the oldest steamboatmen in this section, settles the question beyond doubt. "Yes, there was a boat by that name and she ran from Cincinnati to New Orleans. At that time there were some of the finest and fastest boats ever seen, seven of them, and there was a boat daily for either terminal. I can well remember the Pennsylvania."

## SCENTING DANGER IN TWO DISTRICTS

Democrats Bring John Sharp Williams Into Kentucky.

Richardson's Third District Threatened and He Will Be Assisted.

### TENTH AND SECOND PROBABLY

Washington, Oct. 9.—A vigorous campaign in Kentucky is being planned by the managers of the Democratic congressional committee, John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, the minority floor leader in the house of representatives, is assigned to play a star part. Bryan is another speaker who, the committee hopes, will campaign in Kentucky.

Representative Williams is expected to make at least two speeches in Kentucky, one each in the Third and Ninth districts. Representative Richardson, in the former, is conceded by the Democratic managers to need assistance to enable him to be re-elected. In the Ninth district the Democrats are anxious to overcome Representative Bennett's majority.

Mr. Williams has not been asked to speak in the districts now represented by Messrs. Stanley and Hopkins. In spite of reports from Kentucky to the effect that Democrats are preparing to unseat Mr. Stanley and nominate an independent candidate and that John W. Langley has a clach on the Tenth district.

nia and also other boats, but at the time I was a mere boy."

The transfer steamer DeKoven, of Paducah, belonging to the Illinois Central railroad, on her way to St. Louis to go on the ways for repairs, met with an accident Sunday morning. Saturday night she was compelled to tie up to the Mississippi bank above Thirty-sixth street, Cairo, and in trying to get out Sunday morning tore the right wheel off and otherwise damaged herself. The high wind was the cause. She made temporary repairs and got off for St. Louis Sunday afternoon.

It is authoritatively announced that on last Saturday there were nojards of 400 coalboats and 150 barges containing in the neighborhood of 30,000,000 bushels of coal hatched to towboats at Pittsburg awaiting a stage of water to take them down the river.

**Official Forecasts.**  
The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon will continue falling during the next 12 to 24 hours, then remain practically stationary for a day or two. At Paducah and Cairo, not much change during the next 12 hours, then fall for several days.

The Tennessee at Florence will continue falling. At Johnsville, will commence falling within the next 12 hours and fall for several days.

The Mississippi from below St. Louis to slightly above Cairo, will continue falling.

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## CHAPTER IV.

In his stately bedroom on the second floor of the quietest house in Russell square Mr. Thomas Oscar—the eccentric Oscar—lay, perhaps, sleeping.

Thomas Oscar had written the first history of an extinct people that had ever been penned; and it has been decreed that he who writes a fine history and paints a fine picture can hardly be too eccentric. Our business, however, does not lie in the life of this historian—life which verily grave vises from the west end had shaken their heads over a few hours before we find him lying prone on a four-poster, counting for the thousandth time the number of tassels fringing the roof of it. In bold contradiction of the medical opinion, the nurse was, however, hopeful. Whether this comforting condition of mind arose from long experience of the ways of doctors or from an acquired philosophy it is not our place to inquire. But that her opinion was sincere is not to be doubted. She had, as a matter of fact, gone to the pantomime, leaving the patient under the immediate eye of his son, Guy Oscar.

During the last forty-eight hours Guy Oscar had made the decision that life without Millicent Chyne would not be worth having, and in the bustle of the great house he was pondering over this new feature in his existence. Like all deliberate men, he was placidly sanguine. Something in the life of a savage sport that he had led had no doubt taught him to rely upon his own nerve and energy more than most men do. The indoor atmosphere that contained the germ of pessimism.

His thoughts cannot have been disturbing, for presently his eyes closed and he appeared to be slumbering. It was sleep. It was the light unconsciousness of the traveler; for a sound so small that waking ears could scarce have heard it caused him to lift his lashes cautiously. It was the sound of bare feet on carpet.

Through his lashes Guy Oscar saw his father standing on the hearth rug within two yards of him. There was something strange, something minute and disturbing, about the movements of the man that made them keep quite still—watching him.

Upon the mantelpiece the medicine bottles were arranged in a row, and the "eccentric Oscar" was studying the labels with feverish haste. One bottle—a blue one—bore two labels; the smaller one, of brilliant orange color, with the word "Poison" in startling simplicity. He took this up and slowly drew the cork. It was a bitters for neuralgic pains in an overwrought head—belladonna. He poured some into a medicine glass, carefully measuring two tablespoonsfuls.

Then Guy Oscar sprang up and wrenched the glass away from him, throwing the contents into the fire, which dared not quench as though the bottle was at the sick man's lips. He was a heavily built man, with powerful limbs. Guy seized his arm, closed with him, and for a moment there was a deadly struggle, while the pungent odor of the poison filled the atmosphere. At last Guy fell back on art; tripped his father cleverly, and they both rolled on the door.

The sick man still gripped the bottle, but he could not get it to his lips. He poured some of the stuff over his son's face, but fortunately missed his eyes. They struggled on the door in the dim light, panting and gasping, but speaking no word. The strength of the elder man was unnatural—it frightened the younger and stronger combatant.

At last Guy Oscar got his knee on his father's neck, and held his wrist back until he was forced to let go his hold on the bottle.

"Get back to bed!" said the son breathlessly. "Get back to bed!"

Thomas Oscar suddenly changed his tactics. He winced and cringed to his own offspring, and begged him to give him the bottle. He dragged across the floor on his knees—\$3,000 a year on its knees to Guy Oscar, who wanted that money because he knew that he would never get Millicent Chyne without it.

"Get back to bed!" repeated Guy sternly, and as fast as the man crept silently between the rumpled sheets.

Guy put things straight in a simple, manlike way. The doctor's instructions were quite clear. If any sign of excitement or mental unrest manifested itself the sleeping draft contained in a small bottle on the mantelpiece was to be administered at once, or the consequences would be fatal. But Thomas Oscar refused to take it. He seemed determined to kill himself. The son stood over him and tried threats, persuasion, prayers, and all the while there was in his heart the knowledge that unless his father could be made to sleep the reported three thousand a year would be his before the morning.

It was worse than the actual physical struggle on the floor. The temptation was almost too strong.

After awhile the sick man became quieter, but he still refused to take the opiate. He closed his eyes and made no answer to Guy's repeated supplication. Finally he ceased shaking his head in negation and at last doffed regularly, like a child asleep.

Lady Cantourne waited with perfectly suppressed curiosity, and while she was waiting Millicent Chyne came into the room. The girl was dressed with her habitual perfect taste and success, and she came forward with a smile of genuine pleasure, holding out a small hand gently gloved in suede. Her ladyship was looking, not at Millicent, but at Guy Oscar.

(To be Continued.)

## WATER CONTRACT MEETS APPROVAL

Board of Aldermen Will Give Second Reading To:

Park Bond Issue Will Come Before People at the Election in November.

## SUPERVISOR OF BRICK WORK.

The board of aldermen met in adjourned session last night. Several ordinances were passed, among them being the park bond issue and the ordinance placing the new contract with the water company before the people for a vote.

Alderman Farley was the only absentee.

A petition for sidewalks on Franklin avenue and Monroe street was referred to the street committee.

A deed to the city for property on Broadway necessary to open Tenth street, for \$100 per front foot, was ratified. This is the property the engineer Washington was in a quandary. The matter was referred.

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A petition from property owners on Jefferson street between Eighteenth to Twenty-fifth streets was read. Alderman Miller moved to have cinders placed on street railway crossings, the residents desiring relief from this source. The matter was referred to the board of public works.

Mayor Yelser read an opinion from James Campbell, Jr., saying that on account of a technicality he could not recommend the contract sustained. The matter was referred with the understanding that the ordinance be drawn anew. This is the contract for sidewalks on South Fourth street from Norton street to Hubbard's street.

The board ratified the compromise of \$250 for \$500 to the American Road Roller company for the city steam street roller. This was a balance due. The company agrees to give \$100 for the old street roller. The latter proposition was accepted.

On motion the board adjourned.

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The board of public works was instructed to fill in bad places at First and Jefferson streets.

On motion the board adjourned.

## NEWS OF KENTUCKY

### State Medical Meeting.

Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 9.—The fifty-first annual meeting of the Kentucky State Medical Association will open in Owensboro Tuesday evening with a business session of the house of delegates at the Rudd House for the election of officers for the ensuing year. Three hundred delegates are expected to be present, and an attempt will be made to hold the most successful session in the history of the organization. As relaxations from the technical program for the meeting a barbecue will be given Wednesday afternoon closing with an evening at the Chautauqua park. On Thursday evening a river excursion will be given on a chartered steamer.

The program feature of the meeting will be a semi-popular lecture on the "Tuberculosis Problem," by Dr. Joseph Walsh, of Philadelphia, president of the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The world was, moreover, pleased to bring Oscar with that pure and simple sympathy which is ever accorded to the worthy in affliction. Every one knew that Thomas Oscar had enjoyed influence during his lifetime, and there was no reason to suppose that tiny would not step into very comfortably lined shoes. It was unfortunate that he should lose his father in such a tragic way, and the keen eye of the world saw the weak point in his story at once. But the coroner's jury was respectful, and the rest of society never so much as blinks at the possibility that Guy had not tried his best to keep his father alive.

Among the letters of sympathy the young fellow received a note from Lady Cantourne, whose acquaintance he had successfully renewed, and in due course he called at her house in Vere Gardens to express somewhat family's gratitude.

Her ladyship was at home, and in due course Guy Oscar was ushered into her presence. He looked round the room with a half suppressed gleam of searching which was not overlooked by Millicent Chyne's aunt.

The mayor was authorized to secure bids for horse feed for the city for the next year.

A petition to improve Eleventh street from Jackson street to Clark street was received and filed.

A petition to pave Fountain avenue from Jefferson street to Monroe street was referred.

A dedication of property for street purposes to W. C. O'Bryan, in the O'Bryan addition, was transferred to O'Bryan, the city not having acted.

An over assessment of license to James Hulger was referred.

The report of the milk and meat inspector was received and filed.

The matter of paying costs in the case of Graves vs. the city of Paducah was favorably noted on.

Fifty dollars were ordered refunded to E. C. Baker for saloon license, which was refused him.

On motion the Paducah Traction company was ordered to surrender all streets abandoned by it to the city.

### Ordinances.

Ordinance prohibiting "bucked shops" operating in the city of Paducah. First passage.

Ordinance for the issuance of \$100,000 bonds for park improvements, the matter to be placed before the voters, was given second passage.

Ordinance to rent from the Paducah Water company 411 fire plugs, for 18 years, first passage.

Mayor Yelser stated that he wanted a called meeting at 1:30 this afternoon. The call was met with approval.

A petition was read asking for sidewalks on Bridge street for the benefit of school children.

Alderman Chambliss read a resolution to building a concrete walk.

The matter was settled by referring it to the street committee with power to act.

The matter of building a walk to the high school building was also referred to the street committee with power to act. This includes a walk from the genuine pleasure, holding out a small hand gently gloved in suede. Her ladyship was looking, not at Millicent, but at Guy Oscar.

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## SEN. ROOSEVELT

### IS HIS AMBITION

Would Succeed Platt From State of New York.

Boot Will Have Charge of Convention Work, Assuring Continuation of Policies.

## SOUTH AMERICAN DIPLOMATS

Washington, Oct. 9.—Theodore Roosevelt, United States senator from New York to succeed Thomas C. Platt, when the latter's term expires March 4, 1899. This may sound strange to many, but it is among the probabilities.

President Roosevelt is sincere in his determination not to again be the candidate of his party for the presidency. He is unable to conceive of any conditions that would justify him in reconsidering his announcement that this is his last term in the White House. That the president would hold it an honor to represent his state in the United States senate cannot be doubted.

It is no secret that Secretary Root will have the guiding hand in directing his party in the next national convention. His successor, doubtless, will be the man Mr. Roosevelt favors, and he whom the president believes to be the best fitted for the continuation of the work he has mapped out, and which may not be completed when he retires from office. With such a man in the White House, and with Mr. Roosevelt in the senate, the Roosevelt policies, which have become so popular among the American people, regardless of party affiliations, would appear to be guaranteed for the future.

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To General Council on Contract For Fire Plugs.

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TO BE VOTED ON BY PEOPLE

Owing to the fact that the contract existing between the city of Paducah and the local water company for fire hydrants expires during the current month, it was incumbent upon the general council to negotiate for such service covering the remaining period which the franchise of the water company still has to run, to-wit: eighteen years.

After several conferences between the joint light and water committee and the officers of the water company, a scale of rates for fire hydrants was agreed upon by the committee and the water company. These rates have been embodied in a contract which will be submitted to the general council for such action as the wisdom of that body may determine. If the proposed contract is favorably voted upon by the general council, it must be submitted to the voters of the city at the next election and affirmatively ratified by not less than two-thirds of the votes then cast upon the question before a contract between the city and the water company can be finally executed.

It is therefore worth while for the voters of the city to carefully consider the terms of the proposed contract before casting their votes at the coming election, and if it appear that the proposed contract is to the advantage of the city, then to register their approval thereof upon their ballots.

In order that the voters may have an opportunity to become fully advised regarding the terms of the proposed contract, a copy of the same is herewith submitted, which reads as follows:

### The Ordinance.

Section 1. That the city of Paducah, Ky., agrees to rent and does hereby rent from the Paducah Water company, its successors and assigns, four hundred and eleven (411) double nozzle fire hydrants now established in said city for a period of eighteen (18) years from the passage and final approval of this ordinance, after an election by the people as hereinafter provided. The annual rental for each of said fire hydrants, which the city of Paducah hereby agrees to pay for the first ten (10) years of said term, shall be twenty (\$20.00) dollars and the annual rental for the remaining eight (8) years shall be fifteen (\$15.00) dollars, (unless the said city shall sooner purchase the water company's plant) with six (6) per cent interest upon deferred payments. The payments of said rentals shall be made as provided in the original ordinance contract.

Section 2. All additional hydrants on extensions of mains that may be erected hereafter by the Paducah Water company, its successors or assigns, as provided in the original ordinance contract during the said eighteen years, shall be charged and paid for as provided in section one hereof; but at the expiration of ten (10) years from the time this ordinance shall have been finally approved, as set out above, all the then fire hydrants shall be charged and paid for at the uniform rate as above provided and the contract thereafter shall expire at the end of

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eighteen years fixed in section 1. "Section 3. Before this ordinance shall become effective, it shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the city of Paducah, Ky., at the general election to be held in said city on the 6th day of November, 1906, the said vote to be taken in the manner and as provided by law for the submission of public questions to the voters of said city.

"Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from its passage, approval and ratification by the qualified voters of the city of Paducah, Ky., and a written acceptance of its terms and conditions by the Paducah Water company filed with the clerk of the city of Paducah, Ky., within ten (10) days after the official certificate of its approval at the popular election."

### The Present Price.

At the present time the water company has installed for the use of the city 411 fire plugs, which under the old contract are rated and cost each year as follows:

150 fire plugs at \$40.....	\$6,000
30 fire plugs at \$30.....	900
231 fire plugs at \$25.....	5,775
Total .....	\$12,675

Under the proposed contract this same service would cost the city but \$8,220 for each of the first ten years of the contract, a saving upon the number of hydrants now installed of \$4,455 per annum and for the ten year period a saving of \$44,550.

For each of the last eight years which the franchise has to run, the cost for 411 hydrants would be \$6,165, a saving to the city of \$6,510 per annum or of \$52,080 for the entire eight years of the franchise, making a total saving to the city between the existing contract and the proposed contract of \$96,630.

There is nothing contained in the proposed contract changing the rights of the city or those of the water company under the original franchise. The city still retains the right to purchase the water company's plant at the expiration of each five year period, in accordance with the terms of the original franchise.

This committee has also compared the rates contained in the proposed contract with those in effect in 127 other cities for the same class of service and finds the proposed rates lower than those paid by any of those cities. The approximate average cost per hydrant in the number of cities mentioned above is \$48.

The rates referred to were submitted by the local water company and this committee assumes that the figures are correct. The list of the cities with the rate paid in each is on file with this committee and anyone desiring to verify the figures contained therein may have the opportunity of doing so at any time.

It should also be borne in mind that until a new contract is entered into between the city and the water company, that the rates charged under the existing contract will maintain. The only alternatives offered to escape from the old rates are either to make a new contract or to discontinue the service, the latter of course, being quite impossible.

Therefore, this committee has no hesitation in recommending to the general council and to the voters of the city of Paducah, that the proposed contract be ratified.

### JOINT LIGHT AND WATER COMMITTEE.

### IN ONE CASE

**PADUCAH DISTILLERIES COMPANY IS FINED.**

Saloonkeeper Fined on Charge of Selling Liquor to Minor in Police Court.

Judge Puryear in police court this morning fined the Paducah Distilleries company \$50 and costs in one case and dismissed three other cases for selling liquor without a license. The firm was refused license. Lee Hite, a saloon keeper, was fined \$25 and costs for selling liquor to Will Morris and Charlie Thomas, colored minors, and the boys who were made disorderly by the liquor, were dismissed with a reprimand.

### LATE BASEBALL NEWS

Buck Freeman Here. Jim Freeman, commonly dubbed "Buck," the Dresden, Tenn., boy who came to Paducah and pitched the first season of the Kitty league with Jackson against the Indiana, and who later joined the Paducah team and played successful ball here, returned to the city last night and will remain here a few days. "Buck" is heavier and in good trim. He says that he had good control, a fine arm and much speed this season and used his upshot ball only in pinch. Buck has been sold to the Chicago White Stockings and will report in the spring for his work out. He thinks,

## PRACTICAL TURN TO IMMIGRATION

Given By Convention Recently Held in Paducah.

Louisville Times Thinks Southwestern Kentucky Is Setting Good Example.

STATE WILL PROFIT BY IT

Speaking editorially of the recent immigration convention, the Louisville Times says:

The Paducah convention on immigration, has given a practical turn to the heretofore theoretical discussion of immigration for Kentucky. In perfecting an organization in each of the counties of southwestern Kentucky and southern Illinois, in providing for an annual convention at Paducah and in determining on definite measures to secure immediate Austrian immigration, the convention has taken the first actual step in an experiment from which, Kentucky owing to the comparatively small number of its negro population, is more likely to profit than any southern state.

In so doing, however, Kentucky has not led the way. The ultra-southern and conservative city of Charleston has already closed a contract for the importation of a shipload of Belgian immigrants, and a land company of North Carolina has, for some months, had as its direct representative in Austria, Germany, Roumania and Hungary, a former commissioner of immigration, who is entrusted with the responsibility of selecting the best classes of those who are appended to by his representation of the advantages awaiting them in North Carolina.

If Kentucky is to get a desirable class of immigrants the plan of the Paducah convention and of the North Carolina land company must be, in the main, followed. Dependence on the chances of securing desirable instruments through the persuasive eloquence and safe judgment of agents stationed at Ellis Island to make selections from the horde of immigrants who land there is a risky way of doing things. As long as Kentucky is going in for foreign immigration, the plan which offers the largest promise of benefits is that of having a safe representative in the country or countries from which the desired class of immigrants are to come.

With the proper coaching, he will make good. Freeman did not have the best support behind the bat this season, but played phenomenal ball for Evansville in the Central League. Paducah friends are glad to see the wirer go up.

Some Gossip. Jimmie Freeman says that Mattie Mattison did not make good with Evansville in hitting. "Mattie did good work behind the bat," Freeman stated, "but his hitting was not good. He smacked them on the nose but they always went to someone. French did fairly good work and McClain got dissatisfied and jumped before the season was over. I do not know what is to be done about McClain."

Newfoundland Ministry. The rumor is current that the Newfoundland ministry may follow the lead of the national cabinet and resign as a protest against the obnoxious modus vivendi regarding the herring fisheries between the United States and Great Britain.

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